PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q64266

Nobufumi MORI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/845,322

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Group Art Unit: 2861

Examiner: Hai Chi Pham

Filed: May 1, 2001

For:

LIGHT AND THERMAL ENGERY IMAGE-RECORDING APPARATUS

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the aboveidentified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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